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Supporting Student Progress with Course Sharing

How Benedict College and Ferrum College Combine CCA
Strategies and Course Sharing to Maximize Impact

Meet Our Presenters



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A Partnership for Progress



Complete College America and Acadeum share a commitment to finding innovative ways to **support student progress, retention, and graduation.**

At its core, course sharing is about removing barriers to completion.

About Acadeum

Acadeum helps colleges and universities establish course sharing partnerships with like-minded institutions to:

- Enhance student success
- Boost degree completion
- Address inefficiencies
- Support academic strategies
- Increase revenue



Investor Spotlight



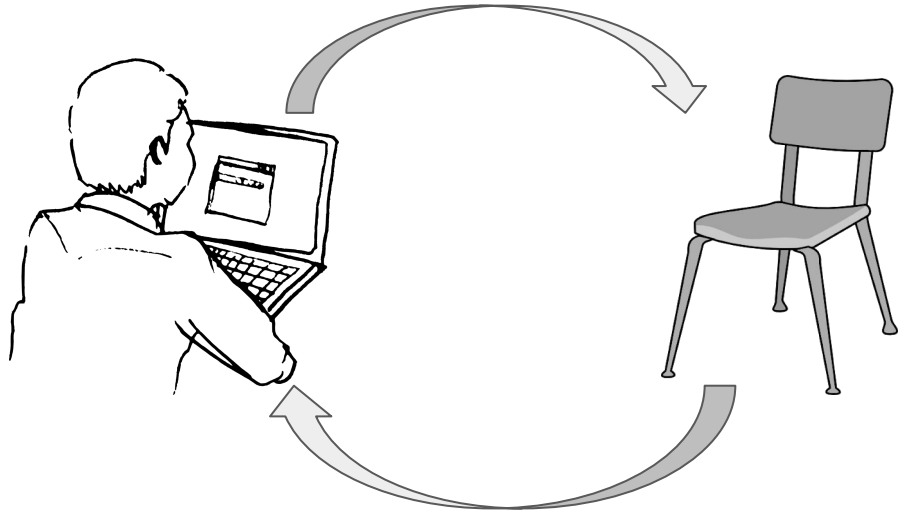
Lumina Foundation's impact investing arm

This consortium supports student progress and boosts institutional efficiency by

- Helping institutions address **course supply** and **demand imbalances**
- **Enriching curricula** and programs
- **Eliminating scheduling challenges and roadblocks** that delay or prevent students from completing degrees

How Course Sharing Works

Through course sharing, your institution can access or share **high-quality courses** from like-minded institutions that fill the gaps in your current capabilities.



Key Benefits of Course Sharing

- Award institutional credit and grades
- Credits count toward part or full-time status
- Expanded catalog to support student progress and completion
- Financial aid may be applied
- Generate new revenue
- Students stay connected to home institution



Benefits for Home Institutions (HI)

- Access courses to support progress and completion
- Eliminate hassle of managing transfer credits
- Courses are transcribed at the home institution
- Insight into course quality and delivery
- Greater control over courses students are taking 'off campus'
- Performance-based funding



Benefits for Teaching Institutions (TI)

- Access to students to fill open course seats
- Generate new revenue
- Diverse student communities

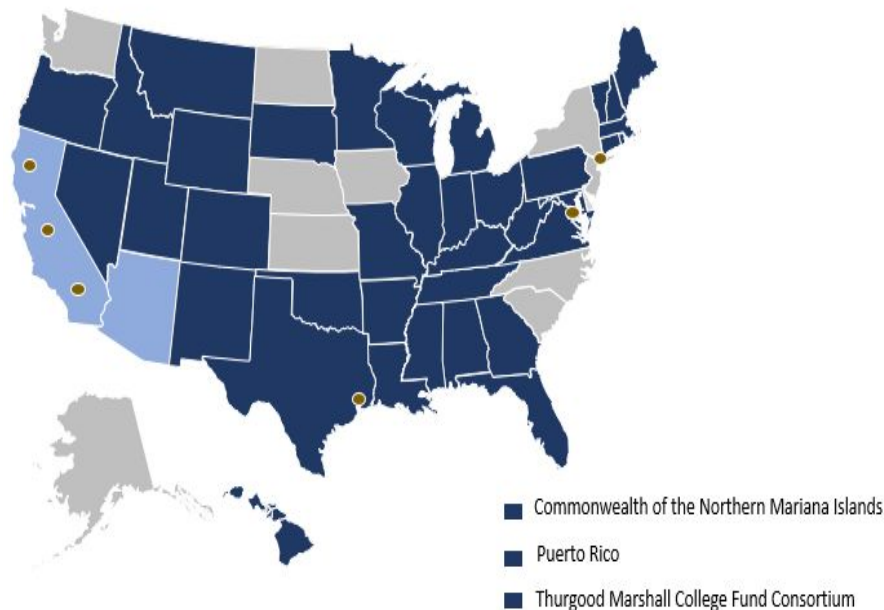


Alignment to CCA's Focus on Equity

Focus on Equity and Student Success

- Flexibility for scheduling and credit accumulation
- Accessibility to courses when needed
- Availability beyond home institution
- Affordability (financial aid at home institution)
- Recovery of credit
- Responsibility on institution not student

CCA's Alliance allows for colleges and universities to learn from one another and partner with similar types of institutions



Alignment With CCA Strategies

SUPPORT

Keep students on the path to timely graduation by using course sharing to address roadblocks as part of a **Proactive Advising** strategy.

MOMENTUM

Course sharing opens new avenues to help students reach the credit loads needed to graduate on-time, as outlined in **15 to Finish / Stay on Track**.

STRUCTURE

Scheduling challenges are inevitable. Course sharing is an easy way to meet the needs of more students as part of **Smart Scheduling**.

Proactive Advising

How Benedict and Ferrum Integrate Course Sharing into the Student Experience

- Predicting Student Performance
 - Midterms
 - Final grades for block/mini terms
 - DWF high failure courses reports
- Sequence courses and bottleneck courses
 - January entries
 - Transfer students
 - Grade recovery
- Special populations (RN to BSN, Teach-Out, etc.)

15 to Finish / Stay on Track

Supporting Student Progress

- Winter/Summer Terms Grade Recovery
- Fall/Spring Recovery and Financial Aid
- Training for Advisors
 - Academic Advisors
 - Coaches
 - Academic Support and Student Success Staff

Smart Schedules

How to Expand Courses Schedules and Offerings

- Course Sharing with Majors
- Step Outs
 - Added flexibility through asynchronous courses
- Academic and Judicial Suspensions
- Graduating Seniors
 - On-time completion and walking at graduation
- Professional courses series
 - Ex: Teacher Education
- Leveraging Low Enrollment Terms or Courses

“The early alert system that Acadeum offers makes a big difference. I can, in real-time, intervene and help students resolve whatever difficulty they have. Working with the Acadeum student support team really feels like a partnership and not just a product.”



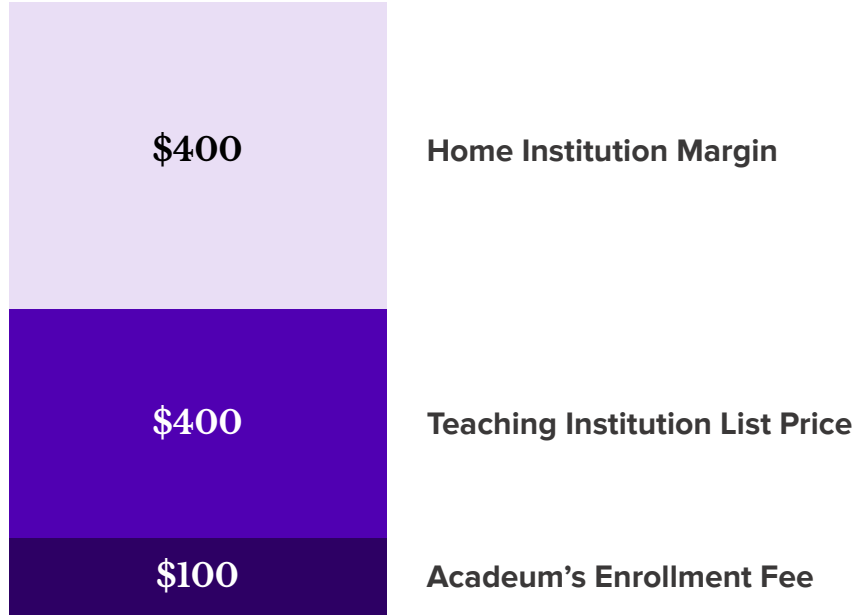
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How do the Finances Work?

Home Institution Tuition: \$800



EXAMPLE

Getting Started with Course Sharing

- Identify areas to address with course sharing
- Assemble your on-campus team
- Work with the Acadeum team and Acadeum Fellows
- Use Acadeum's extensive support resources to save time and effort

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Ready to unlock the power of course sharing?

Let's get started.

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